sale or furnishing of metered gas and electricity is on or after January 1, 2004, through December 31, 2004, or if the sale or furnishing of fuel for purposes of residential energy and the delivery of the fuel occurs on or after January 1, 2004, through December 31, 2004, the rate of tax is two percent of the sales price.

- (2) If the date of the utility billing or meter reading cycle of the residential customer for the sale or furnishing of metered gas and electricity is on or after January 1, 2005, through December 31, 2005, or if the sale or furnishing of fuel for purposes of residential energy and the delivery of the fuel occurs on or after January 1, 2005, through December 31, 2005, the rate of tax is one percent of the sales price.
- (3) If the date of the utility billing or meter reading cycle of the residential customer for the sale or furnishing of metered gas and electricity is on or after January 1, 2006, or if the sale, furnishing, or service of fuel for purposes of residential energy and the delivery of the fuel occurs on or after January 1, 2006, the rate of tax is zero percent of the sales price.
- c. The exemption in this subsection does not apply to local option sales and services tax imposed pursuant to chapters 423B and 423E.

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CHAPTER 1134

INVESTMENTS BY IOWA FINANCE AUTHORITY — FUNDS ESTABLISHED BY TREASURER OF STATE

S.F. 2215

AN ACT relating to the investment of moneys of the Iowa finance authority in funds within the office of the treasurer of state.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 16.5, Code 2003, is amended by adding the following new subsection: NEW SUBSECTION. 18. Establish one or more funds within the state treasury under the control of the authority and invest moneys of the authority therein. Notwithstanding section 8.33 or 12C.7, or any other provision to the contrary, moneys invested by the treasurer of state pursuant to this subsection shall not revert to the general fund of the state and interest accrued on the moneys shall be moneys of the authority and shall not be credited to the general fund. For purposes of this subsection, the treasurer of state shall enter into an agreement with the authority to carry out the provisions of this subsection.

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CHAPTER 1135

ASSAULTS ON BOARD OF PAROLE MEMBERS OR EMPLOYEES AND DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES EMPLOYEES

H.F. 250

AN ACT relating to the criminal penalties for an assault on members of certain occupations.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Section 1. Section 708.3A, subsections 1 through 4, Code 2003, are amended to read as follows:

- 1. A person who commits an assault, as defined in section 708.1, against a peace officer, jailer, correctional staff, member or employee of the board of parole, health care provider, employee of the department of human services, or fire fighter, whether paid or volunteer, with the knowledge that the person against whom the assault is committed is a peace officer, jailer, correctional staff, member or employee of the board of parole, health care provider, employee of the department of human services, or fire fighter and with the intent to inflict a serious injury upon the peace officer, jailer, correctional staff, member or employee of the board of parole, health care provider, employee of the department of human services, or fire fighter, is guilty of a class "D" felony.
- 2. A person who commits an assault, as defined in section 708.1, against a peace officer, jailer, correctional staff, member or employee of the board of parole, health care provider, employee of the department of human services, or fire fighter, whether paid or volunteer, who knows that the person against whom the assault is committed is a peace officer, jailer, correctional staff, member or employee of the board of parole, health care provider, employee of the department of human services, or fire fighter and who uses or displays a dangerous weapon in connection with the assault, is guilty of a class "D" felony.
- 3. A person who commits an assault, as defined in section 708.1, against a peace officer, jailer, correctional staff, member or employee of the board of parole, health care provider, employee of the department of human services, or fire fighter, whether paid or volunteer, who knows that the person against whom the assault is committed is a peace officer, jailer, correctional staff, member or employee of the board of parole, health care provider, employee of the department of human services, or fire fighter, and who causes bodily injury or mental illness, is guilty of an aggravated misdemeanor.
- 4. Any other assault, as defined in section 708.1, committed against a peace officer, jailer, correctional staff, member or employee of the board of parole, health care provider, employee of the department of human services, or fire fighter, whether paid or volunteer, by a person who knows that the person against whom the assault is committed is a peace officer, jailer, correctional staff, member or employee of the board of parole, health care provider, employee of the department of human services, or fire fighter, is a serious misdemeanor.
- Sec. 2. Section 708.3A, Code 2003, is amended by adding the following new subsection: NEW SUBSECTION. 8. As used in this section, "employee of the department of human services" means a person who is an employee of an institution controlled by the director of human services that is listed in section 218.1, or who is an employee of the civil commitment unit for sex offenders operated by the department of human services. A person who commits an assault under this section against an employee of the department of human services at a department of human services' institution or unit is presumed to know that the person against whom the assault is committed is an employee of the department of human services.